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PATENT
CASE NO. 8627/114

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: patent application of)
Fred T. Parker, et al.)
Serial No.: 09/905,017)
Filing Date: July 13, 2001)
For: MEDICAL DEVICE INCLUDING)
TUBE HAVING A BRAID AND)
AN EXPANDED COIL)

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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of February 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are not presented in this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are not presented in this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this Amendment.